

## Town Talk

## MOVING PICTURE FUNNIES.



Cut out the picture of a man in a suit and hat. Then carefully fold dotted line 1 its entire length. Then dotted line 2, and so on. Fold each section underneath accurately. When completed turn over and you'll find a surprising result. Save the pictures.

## THE WEATHER.

W. Va.—Probably showers to night and Friday warmer.  
Weather Readings  
F. P. Hall, Ob.  
Temperature at 8 a. m. today, 63.  
Yesterdays weather partly cloudy temperature, maximum, 61; minimum, 52; precipitation, .52.

## EVENTS TONIGHT.

M. P. Temple—Address upon Patriotism by Dean McClanahan, of Princeton university.  
Williams Memorial church—Meeting of the official board.  
Odd Fellows hall—Seven sisters lodge.  
Knights of Malta.  
Maccabees' hall—Fairmont nest of Owls.  
K. of P. hall—Mountain City lodge.  
Red Men's hall—Setting Sun tribe.

Steel for New Trolley Line—Switches which will be used in the construction of the East Side loop by the Monongahela Valley Traction Company were delivered yesterday to the points where they will be used.

Bridge Steel Here—Steel arrived yesterday for the Fairview bridge, which will span Paw Paw creek leading from the county road to the traction company's yard and which is being constructed by the Monongahela Valley Traction Company.

Passenger Jolted—Mrs. John Highland was jolted up considerably when yesterday afternoon she attempted to dismount a car at First street before it had fully stopped. She was thrown from the car but no serious injuries inflicted.

No Boat Here—The boat to be used in laying the new ten inch gas main across the Monongahela river, which was expected to arrive in Fairmont today did not come and consequently work was not started toward putting the pipe in the river. Workmen are still busy laying the pipe from the other main through Coal Run to the river bank ready to be extended across the river when the boat arrives.

To Repair M. V. T. Tracks—The first of next week Engineer W. H. Schimmell of the Monongahela Valley Traction Company will begin repair work between First and Second streets on Fairmont avenue which will require the tearing up of the street along the street car line.

Canning Laid Up—While he was walking on Main street Tuesday afternoon James B. Canning, of the Fairmont Mining Machine company turned one of his ankles. At the time he experienced little trouble from it, but it soon began to swell and pain and it was with difficulty that he was able to get to his summer home at Valley Falls that evening. He has been compelled to stay there since.

In Compensation Fund—Among the firms that recently have taken advantage of the workmen's compensation fund are the Fairmont Gas Coal company, of Barrackville, J. Guy Hawkins, plumber, Fairmont and W. G. Eshenbaugh, driller, Mannington.

Will Make Address—Rev. R. D. Brown, of this city, will make an address at the emancipation celebration and picnic which will be held at Oak park on the Morgantown and Kingwood road September 24. The Fairmont orchestra will supply the music for the dancing.

New Meat Market—John F. Forene today opened a fine new meat market.

Telephone Merger—If the present plans are carried out the physical merger of the two telephone systems of this city and vicinity will take place Saturday evening at 10 o'clock.

Joint Traffic Committee—Another meeting of the joint traffic committee consisting of representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, the Business Men's Association and the Motor club will take place tomorrow at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Fay Smith Very Ill—F. J. Smith and Dr. E. W. Howard left this afternoon at 2 o'clock for Buckhannon in answer to a message received this morning announcing a change for the worse in the condition of the former's son, Fay Smith, who has been ill for two weeks at a place. Mr. Smith had improved to a considerable extent and his father had returned home. His mother, however, remained at his bedside. The message today stated that his condition was very grave.

Honors for Accountant—Charles Steele, of this city, formerly of Morgantown, has been elected a member of the American Institute of Accountants, the organization which includes only a few selected members of the profession, and which stands for the top of the profession. Mr. Steele has been under examination by the institute during the past year, and recently took the final test in New York City.

Today's Legal Transfers—Rose E. Parrish and husband to Jessie Wetzel, 35 acres in Paw Paw district; \$1 and other considerations; Phillippi Nove and others to Guy Gemelli, a lot in Grant Town, consideration \$150; M. C. Lough and wife to S. Howard Kuhn and wife a lot on Morgantown avenue, consideration, \$4,000.

Marriage License—A marriage license was issued at the county clerk's office today to Albert B. Wilson, age 23, of Grafton, and Mary E. Parker, age 23, of Fairmont.

Fined for Boozing—William Lane, Mike Broskie and Pete Simko, all of whom were arrested Tuesday at the new mine of the Norwood Coal company near Jayenne, were given hearings before Justice Musgrove today and fines were imposed. All four drew fines of ten dollars each for breaking the prohibitory laws of the state, while Lane and Broskie had their fines doubled on assault charges.

Had Booze and Gun—Two negroes were arrested today as they disembarked from the Pennsylvania train and were taken before Justice Conaway this afternoon charged with bringing whiskey into the state. Both had large boxes of yellow cardboard and examination revealed the fact that the boxes contained seven pints of liquor each. When questioned by the prosecuting attorney they gave their names as Will Wright and Will Pratt. Pratt also had with him a very capable looking automatic revolver and he will be tried on a pistol toting charge in addition to the liquor law violation charge.

Moving Museum—The work of moving the Marion County Museum from the Law Library on the top floor of the court house to the room in the basement, which had been remodeled and redecorated, was begun today. The collection of relics associated with the early life in this county is constantly growing and it would seem that the opening, which was made by the 1917 class of the high school, may develop into something well worth while.

Announce Birth—Mr. and Mrs. Loran Gainer, of Pennsylvania avenue, announce the birth this morning of a nine and one-half pound daughter. Mrs. Gainer before her marriage was Miss Gladys Parker. Both mother and daughter are doing well.

## Polish Council of State Has Resigned

(By Associated Press)  
COPENHAGEN, Aug. 30.—The Berlin Local Anzeiger reports that the entire Polish council of state has resigned. The great underlying cause responsible for the council's decision to abandon its attempts to organize a government under the proposed German protectorate is the change in the Polish attitude resulting from the Russian revolution according to the newspaper.

## More Russ Regiments Quit In Foe's Force

PETROGRAD, Aug. 30.—A large proportion of two Russian regiments in the Fokshani region on the Rumanian front left their trenches yesterday, says today's War office statement.

The dispersal of one of the regiments followed and measures have been taken on, it is stated to restore the positions effected in the battle now in progress.

## QUIET DELL.

The farmers are about through harvesting at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Vandergift at Hammond Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allender, of Wickwire, were visiting at Rem Rudy's Sunday.

Leland Nixon, of Boothsville, was calling on friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Avis Henderson spent Sunday with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Henderson of Spring Dale.

Lee Rudy has returned to his work at Hammond after being off duty the past week with a mangled foot.

A number of one people attended the Carpenter reunion at Samaria Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rudy attended church at Hebson on Gladly Creek Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Rudy and Mrs. Etta Withrow and grandson, Ernest Casteel of Vanport, Pa., who have been visiting the former's mother, Mary E. Rudy the past week returned to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrick Vincent, of Fairmont, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rudy a few days the past week.

## NEW PLAN FOR TAKING WATER OUT OF THE GAS

M. V. T. Men To Apply Device They Saw At Gas Convention.

## IS VERY SIMPLE AFFAIR

They Will Be Put On All Trains Coming Into the City.

A large steel drip, thirty inches in diameter is being welded together this afternoon at the local gas shop of the Monongahela Valley Traction company on Porter avenue. When completed the drip will be installed on one of the four gas mains coming into Fairmont and will be used in extracting any water that may be in the gas. This drip is built on an entirely new principle and is expected to prove much more efficient and serviceable than the water extracting methods now in use by the company.

The new form of a drip was demonstrated at the big state gas convention that was held in Parkersburg in July and it was there that representatives of the Monongahela Valley Traction company first saw it. At the gas convention many new ideas were brought out. The representatives of the local company returned to Fairmont with the idea in mind that workmen are now busy preparing similar drips for use on local lines.

The drip is simple in every respect, consisting of a large thirty inch piece of steel tubing, with two semicircle baffle plates on the interior. It operates on the method of the steam separator. The gas comes to the drip through the ten inch main, and upon entering the thirty inch drip greatly expands, and thus becomes cooler. The water that may be in the gas condenses when hitting either of the two baffle plates and flows off through a water line prepared at the bottom of the drip. There will be a drip placed on each of the four gas mains that lead into the city. Twenty-four inch drips will be placed on the two eight inch mains with thirty inch drips on the two ten inch mains.

The gas company will install them just as soon as they can be made. This will not require the shutting off of gas over the city as the other gas mains may furnish the city with necessary gas while other connections are being made.

The extraction of water from the gas before using is an important process and with the new drips in operation the local gas company will have disposed of a big disadvantage in furnishing a good gas supply.

## Invitations Out for Pepley Wedding

Mrs. George Gumbert of Boise, Idaho, has issued invitations to the marriage of her grand daughter, Miss Ray Gumbert Pepley to Mr. Brooks Swearingen Hutchinson on Wednesday, September 12, at St. Michael's church, Boise, Idaho. A reception will follow the wedding at The Owyhe.

## St. Louis Man Take 30 Gergan Prisoner

PARIS, Aug. 30.—Allen, son of Richard Blount, of St. Louis, who joined the Foreign legion in April has written to his father that he has been proposed for the war cross with palm for taking 30 prisoners single handed in the fighting at Verdun. He was wounded slightly in the hand.

Mr. Blount has considerably exceeded the expectations of his father who said at the time of his boy's enlistment, "I want my son to account for five Germans."

## A Whale of a Success! It Set the Town a-Talking!

**UNDERSELLING'S**

# Big Round-Up Sale

Get In On These Wonderful Values While Sale Is On! The First Will Be First To Get These Bargains and the Last May Get Left.

<b>23c</b> for men's balbriggan shirts or drawers; will cost 50c next year.	<b>19c</b> per yard for white or colored table oil cloth, worth 25c.	<b>6 1/2c</b> per yard for unbleached muslin, 10 yard limit; worth 9c per yard.	<b>48c</b> for men's mish or calbriggan union suits, will cost double next year.
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**49c** For ladies or misses parasols, values up to \$1.25.

**1.98** for men's genu-ine Panama hats, values to \$4.00.  
**2.98** for men's summer suits, light colors, values to \$5.

**2.94** For men's Kink Quality and W. L. Douglas low shoes to \$5.00.

## HOME SAVINGS OLD HOME SOLD TODAY

New Owners Will Have Former Banking Room Turned Into Store.

Negotiations for the sale of the three story brick building on Main street near Cleveland avenue which was formerly occupied by the Home Savings bank, culminated today when the property was sold to W. J. Wiegand and associates.

The new owners bought the property for investment purposes. The building is now fully tenanted with the exception of the room formerly used by the bank, and this will be remodeled at once so as to make it suitable for mercantile uses.

## QUIET ON ALL FRONTS TODAY

More British and Fewer French Vessels Reported Sunk.

Military operations on the Franco-Belgian front continue to be of a minor nature only in contrast with the stirring activities of last week at Verdun and in Flanders. Today's official report from Paris shows the situation along the French line to be one of temporary deadlock, with nothing more important taking place than artillery combat, trench raids and infantry operations of local significance.

In this last class were two German attacks last night in the Champagne region east of Teton, which the French repulsed and similar attempts of the Germans to push back French posts in the Verdun region north of Vaux-les-Palameis and penetrate the line north of Courlevres woods. All these were completely checked as were a German thrust in the Alsine region near Chevreux. There was active artillery fighting in the Verdun region and similar spirited activity at points in the Alsine sector.

A though there was a slight increase in the number of British vessels sunk last week as shown by last night's report from London, French shipping suffered less from submarine attack than the week preceding. The French losses totaled four as compared with nine the week ending August 19th.

Rome today reports the repulse of Austrian counter attacks in the Isonzo region. The Italians held all their positions firmly and even gained ground at points. They took 560 prisoners.

## WORTHINGTON

## Bad Treatment of Dumb Animals.

It has been reported that one of the men opening a "snowbird" mine here is in the habit of mistreating his horses by hitching them to a stake after a hard day's work and letting them stand all night. It is alleged that on last Saturday evening after quitting work the horses were staked and left until Monday morning without feed or water. If these reports are true the Humane society should take a hand and see that the dumb animals get proper treatment.

Several Lodge Members in the Army  
The local lodge of Odd Fellows will be well represented in Uncle Sam's army. Two members are already in the service and three more have been called and failed to get exempted. Those drafted are Ralph B. Douglass, Clyde H. Hay and Herschel A. Fe trick.

## Leased Property.

The Carolina Belle Coal company has leased all the Michaels property in town including the four dwellings and the dairy barn and will take possession on October 1st. The consideration is \$1,000.00 per annum.

## Wild West Show at the Lyric.

Buck Mongiam, the ex-horse thief with his big round up taken on Big Horse Creek, Wyo., held the boards at the Lyric theatre on Wednesday evening. This kind of a show always attracts a large number of the small boys but unfortunately for them the quarantine regulations barred them from the theatre this time.

## Personals.

Ralph B. Douglass, who has been employed as superintendent for a rig building company at Asland, Ohio, arrived here on Monday to make preparations to go to Petersburg, Va., with the drafted men, of which he is one.

Miss Addie Burnett, of Farmington, is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Varner returned on Wednesday from a visit with relatives and friends at Spencer and other points in Roane county.

Blake Billingslea, who accompanied the Boy Scouts of Fairmont on their trip to Bowden on the Cheat river, returned home on Wednesday. He reports a splendid time and of course has some wonderful fish stories to tell.

Justice J. Lane Parrish was a business visitor in Enterprise on Wednesday.

Constable W. E. Barnett has been confined to his home for several days by an indisposition.

W. T. Jenkins, of Hutchinson, was transacting business here on Wednesday.

Miss Jeannette Sandy entertained a number of her friends at a marshmallow party at her home on Wednesday evening.

W. C. Manley, of Fairmont, was transacting business here on Wednesday.

Junior Orr, of Monongah, was in town for a short time on Tuesday.

Felix S. Martin has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. B. Nay, in Fairmont, for several days.

## PUBLIC SCHOOLS

(Continued from Page One.)

The next address was given by Dr. McClanahan, Dean of a Princeton college and Prof. of Physics who has been in Belgium and knows the exact conditions there in this war. He gave one of the best talks ever heard in Fairmont. A talk that awoke Patriotism in every heart to a greater degree than could be possible not knowing intimately of the horrors Germany has committed.

"Some of our cherished beliefs," Dr. McClanahan said have been put to the test. Such as honesty is the best policy and the validity of international treaties. The Bible says that things of the flesh are temporal and things of the spirit permanent and unless the Country can come to recognize the need of the spirit, sacrifice of time and money will be in vain.

I saw the German army in Belgium. They said themselves it was a beautiful, terrible thing, but it broke on the spirit of Belgium. The Belgium the Kaiser referred to as the contemptible little army. The German advanced by pre-arranged plan, but the spirit of Belgium was that of unyielding heroism and resistance to wrong and pressure. It was a spirit of better acid, penetrating humor and wit. A battle of wits is constantly going on in Belgium in which she is the victor. She fought with her wits when she couldn't with her arms. She kept the invader on tenter-hooks and made the occupancy of her land one of misery. Boys in blouse and skull caps with holes in the top where the tassel should have been, put small red carrots in instead, imitating the German. Boys marched with a sign—On To Paris—but they marched backward. They called the attention of the German and when he turned ran through his legs and upset him. This contest of wit goes on continually.

The German with rifle four feet long with toothed edge bayonet for sawing down doors stands outside the church door while the Belgian worship. The national song has been forbidden. I saw them stand outside while the organ played it over three times with tears streaming down their faces. The German forces the Belgian to work in the munition factories with brutal force. He asks the Belgian to go to Germany—offers him good pay, the time to go home and see his folks—and other rewards; the Belgian says—no! The Belgian is imprisoned on no excuse. The German changed the time on taking possession but no Belgian will change his watch. When a prominent Belgian is going about town ministering to the sick and needy, the German calls for him and arrests him on charge of disobeying orders—his time is behind. He is thrown in prison to suffer horrible deprivations. One Belgian said on being asked if he would work in Germany—"Yes, very gladly." "See, said the German—"now, we have a sensible man—he will go to Germany and work—what is your profession, my man?" "That of gravedigger," said the Belgian.

The Germans are taught that might is right. He is bereft of what he calls weak traits—such as helpfulness, gentleness, charity. They swallow wife's dresser.

Women wear high heels which buckle up their toes and they suffer terribly from corns. Women then proceed to try these pests, seeking relief, but they hardly realize the terrible danger from infection, says a Cincinnati authority.

Corns can easily be lifted out with the fingers if you will get from any drug store a quarter of an ounce of a drug called freezezone. This is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. You simply apply a few drops directly upon the tender, aching corn. The soreness is relieved at once and soon the entire corn, root and all, lift out without pain.

This is a sticky substance which dries in a moment. It just shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Cut this out and pin on your gentleness, charity. They swallow wife's dresser.

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nothing more easily than praise and have been taught from boyhood that they are the great people of the earth—result—the German spirit.

We should recognize the truth: Belgium has been kicked and brutally used. Over 1,000 nuns have been brutally treated. German go into homes and carry away works of art and books they desire to keep. When asked why they are so brutal they said, "If what we have done to Belgium is severe, what we will do if we are ever driven out will be worse.

## Hill Under Arrest Vincent Very Ill

A warrant charging Bruce Hill with felonious shooting was issued by Justice W. W. Conaway yesterday. Hill has been in the county jail since the shooting occurred last Sunday and the authorities have been waiting until the condition of Mack Vincent, the victim, might be known definitely and his chances for recovery ascertained. Vincent is still in a very serious condition and the physicians in attendance refuse to predict his recovery or death, saying that the chances are about equally divided. If he does not recover a warrant charging a more serious offense will be issued.

But He Doesn't  
"De man dat brags" said Uncle Eben, "generally has each good idea of what a man ought to be dat you hopes he kin live up to 'em."

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## SQUIRREL FOOD—BY AHERN.

